

Rabbi Leo Franklin To Install Rabbi Doppelt

Special
FT. WAYNE.—Dr. Leo M. Franklin, rabbi of Temple Beth-El in Detroit, will deliver the principal address at the installation of Rabbi Fred-eric A. Doppelt Friday night, Nov. 8, at 8 o'clock, at Achduth Vesholom Temple, Fairfield avenue and Wayne street. Other invited clergymen will participate.

While the religious phase of the installation is to be held Nov. 8, the social phase has been arranged for Saturday, Nov. 9, in the form of a banquet at 7 p. m. at the Temple. Rabbi Doppelt will make the principal banquet address.

Rabbi Doppelt has known Dr. Franklin since

Rabbi Doppelt began his work as a rabbi in Saginaw, Mich., following his ordination in 1931. Dr. Franklin married Rabbi Doppelt to the former Miss Lucille C. Greenebaum of Saginaw. A reception for the Detroit rabbi and other invited clergy will be held in the Temple social rooms following the installation service.

The banquet Nov. 9 is in charge of Mrs. Abe Beck and Col. William Platka as co-chairmen. The installation committee comprises Louis M. Lobensburger, chairman; Russell Solomon, Moses Apfelbaum, Eugene Frank, Colonel Platka and Mrs. Beck.

Sisterhood To Hear Mrs. Lang At Luncheon

Mrs. Leon Lang of Germantown, Pa., a member of the executive council of the Women's League of the United Synagogue, will discuss matters of national importance at a luncheon of the board of the Beth El Sisterhood which will be given in her honor at 12:15 p. m. Thursday, Nov. 7, at Beth El Temple. An open forum will follow Mrs. Lang's address. Mrs. Louis Rappaport, president, will preside.

Luncheon reservations may be made by calling Mrs. Mac Laner, RA 7240.

Mrs. Aaron Glick is in charge of arrangements.

Council To Present Actress At Meeting

The Indianapolis Section of the Council of Jewish Women will present Olga Razinova of Chicago at 8 o'clock Monday afternoon, November 4, at Kirshbaum Center in an interpretation of the current Broadway success, "There Shall Be No Night," which stars Lynn Fontanne and Alfred Lunt.

Miss Razinova has appeared in stock companies throughout the East, and has also played support in the famous "Leonivitch." She is a radio artist with the Knickerbocker Play House, First Nights, Back Stage and Mary Marlin.

Thrift Shop's birthday in November is being celebrated in the form of a tea at the Council's meeting Sunday, Nov. 4.

Every member is asked to attend and either bring or send Thrift Shop a gift. The money earned enables the Council to contribute to every worthy cause, it is said.

Lawrence Stillerman Heads Press Group

Lawrence (Larry) Stillerman, 315 Union street, an honor student at Manual Training High School, was elected president of the Indiana High School Press Association at the three-day conference at Franklin College recently.

Schloss New Head of I. H. Congregation

William Schloss was elected president of the Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation, succeeding J. Borinstein, at the board meeting recently. Dr. Harry A. Hyman was named vice president, and Sol Goldsmith, treasurer.

Convention Aide



DOROTHY BRAUN

All youth groups in Indianapolis have been invited to attend a special Friday night service, at 8 o'clock, Nov. 1, in the Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation in honor of visiting delegates to the Mid-Eastern convention of the Council of Jewish Juniors.

Participating are Estelle Grossman, Paula Gates, Betty Gellman, Bernice Kline and Mildred Cohen. Miss Grossman and Miss Gates are co-chairmen of the religious services committee. Members of the local council will act as ushers and will be hostesses at a tea following the services.

Convention headquarters will be at the Lincoln Hotel where several hundred girls from Ohio, Michigan and Indiana will be guests for the week-end. Miss Florence Slutzky is chairman and Miss Dorothy Braun, co-chairman.

TO SHOW "PROMISED LAND"

A sound picture, "The Promised Land," will be shown at 9:30 a. m. Sunday, Nov. 3, at I. H. C. Temple. The program is open to the public, and visitors are welcome.

WAGNER PROGRAM FEATURE

The symphonic hour, popular Tuesday evening program at Kirshbaum Center, will feature the prelude to "Die Meister Singers" by Richard Wagner next Tuesday night.

PLAYERS ASKED TO ENROLL

Players interested in participating in the forthcoming basketball season at Kirshbaum must submit their names before Nov. 7, Norman Weisman said this week.

Chamberlain Book First To Be Reviewed

Rabbi Maurice Goldblatt will review "Confessions Of An Individualist," by William Henry Chamberlain, at 10:30 a. m., Tuesday, Nov. 5, at the Temple, Tenth and North Delaware Sts., as the first of a series of four book reviews which will be given on the four Tuesdays during the month of November.

The Temple Sisterhood is sponsoring these reviews. The public is invited to attend.

Serving on the committee for the reviews are Mrs. George E. Frank, chairman, and Mrs. Jack B. Kammins, Mrs. Louis Segar, Mrs. H. Joseph Hyman, Mrs. Ernest Cohn, Mrs. Manuel Freeman, Mrs. Samuel Hahn, Mrs. Samuel Kominers, Mrs. Harry Cooler, Mrs. J. B. Kaufman, and Mrs. William Meyers.

A board meeting of the Sisterhood will precede the book review, Mrs. Harold I. Platt said.

Beth El Sisterhood I. H. C. Ladies' Guests

The Beth El Sisterhood will be the special guest of the Temple Sisterhood at the "What's My Name" program to be given at 2 p. m. Tuesday, Nov. 11, at the Temple, Tenth and Delaware streets. The program includes living portraits of famous women in history with biographical sketches, which will be staged and produced by Mrs. Harry Burton Jacobs.

Friday Night Services Arranged At U. H. C.

Regular Friday evening services will begin at the United Hebrew Congregation at 8 p. m. Nov. 15. The services will consist of prayers in English, special Friday evening hymns and songs and a sermon either by the rabbi or by a visiting speaker.

Announcement was also made that after Sunday morning services Rabbi Miller will lead a class in the study of the psalms (tehillim). A third project which is under way is the organization of a Jewish choral society, and a fourth project is the organization of a group to be known as Young Folks League.

PAPER SALE SET

A. Z. A. has arranged a paper sale for Sunday, Nov. 3. Old papers, magazines and general rummage will be picked up out of your basement if you call. WA 6538, A. Z. A. members said.

Back For Talk



GEORGE RABINOFF

Rabinoff To Speak At Annual Meeting

George W. Rabinoff of New York City, associate director of the Council of Jewish Federations and Welfare Funds, will address the joint annual meeting of the Indianapolis Jewish Federation and Jewish Welfare Fund at 8:15 p. m. Wednesday, Nov. 6, at Kirshbaum Center.

All Jewish contributors to the Jewish Welfare Fund and all members of the Jewish Federation constituent agencies, which include the Jewish Family Service Society, Jewish Community Center Association, Joseph and Anna Borinstein Home for Jewish Aged, Council of Jewish Women, as well as all Jewish contributors to the Community Fund, are members of the Jewish Federation and are eligible to vote.

Isidore Feibleman, president of the Jewish Federation, will preside. Samuel Mueller, president of the Jewish Welfare Fund, will give a brief message.

Mr. Rabinoff was named executive director of the Jewish Federation of Indianapolis in 1921, a post he held until 1928.

Knesses Israel Plans Card Party Nov. 6

Mrs. George Cohen, 5903 Guilford, will be hostess for the Knesses Israel card party to be given Wednesday, Nov. 6, afternoon and evening. Refreshments will be served and there will be prizes. Admission will be 35 cents.

Dr. Cecil Cohen Heads Alpha Omega

Dr. Cecil Cohen was elected president of the Indianapolis Alumni Club of Alpha Omega at a recent meeting. Other officers elected were Dr. Sidney Herman, vice president, and Dr. Samuel Patterson, secretary-treasurer.

Central Hebrew Ladies To Elect

The Sisterhood of the Central Hebrew Congregation will hold its opening meeting and election of officers at 8 p. m. Monday, Nov. 4, at the home of Mrs. M. Sacks, 3680 North Delaware. The meeting will be followed by a social hour.

F. D. R. Hails Hadassah As 500 Groups Send Delegates To Meeting

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

CINCINNATI—Adjusting their program to "consider health and defense problems brought about by the spread of war to the shores of the Mediterranean," 1,000 delegates of Hadassah opened their twenty-sixth annual convention at the Hotel Gibson Wednesday night with a survey of war conditions and forces which have brought about the "downfall of European Jewry."

President Roosevelt, in a message read at the opening session, counseled Hadassah to "rise in the spirit of true charity, true philanthropy and true Americanism . . . to relieve human suffering through hospitalization, preventive medicine and other methods of modern public health work," which he characterized as an "unlimited" opportunity.

He voiced "best wishes that your deliberations may be fruitful of wise counsels and constructive action in alleviating suffering and promoting happiness among all whom you serve."

The convention closes Sunday. Delegates representing more than five hundred chapters in forty-six states are attending.

Brotherhood, Church Plan Joint Meeting

The Temple Brotherhood has arranged a joint meeting for Wednesday, Nov. 13, with the Men's Club of the First Friends Church in the Temple vestry room. The principal speaker will be Dr. Adolph Keller, general secretary of the European Central Office for Inter-church Aid, with headquarters in Geneva, Switzerland.

Dr. Errol Elliott, minister of the Friends Church, who has just returned from a several months' visit in Europe where he engaged in refugee activities, will join in the open forum discussion.

Other features have also been planned.

3-Faith Luncheon Planned By Women

A three-faith luncheon has been arranged for 12:30 p. m. Friday, Nov. 8, under auspices of the Indianapolis Council of Church Women, it was announced this week. Mrs. Emma Kominers and Mrs. Isaac Born are members of the committee arranging the affair, which will be held at the Broadway Methodist Church, Broadway and Fall Creek boulevard.

A Jewish woman will be on the program as one of the speakers, it was said.

Beth El Sisterhood Plans Thirty Parties

A party day has been arranged by the Beth-El Sisterhood, Tuesday, Nov. 12, when members will be hostesses for more than thirty individual parties at their homes for the benefit of the Beth El Sunday school. Mrs. Dave Herman and Mrs. Hyman Grande are in charge of arrangements.

There Is No Such Thing as a SOLID JEWISH VOTE We Should, and Do, Vote Individually as American Citizens

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WENDELL WILLIKE

Willkie fought the Ku Klux Klan in Akron, Ohio. He is not Pro-Nazi, but a loyal, ardent, patriotic American, opposed to all dictatorships and totalitarian governments.

He said in his speech of acceptance at Elwood:

"The story of the barbarous and worse than medieval persecution of the Jews—a race that has done so much to improve the culture of foreign countries and our own—is the most tragic in human history.

"But their misery and suffering make us resolve to preserve our country as a land free of hate and bitterness, of racial and class distinction. I pledge you that kind of America."

He said in rejecting the proffered Father Coughlin support and that of anti-Semitic groups:

"I am not interested in the support of anybody who stands for any form of prejudice as to anybody's race or religion, or who is in support of any foreign economic or political philosophy in this country.

"I am not only not interested in his support—I don't want it. If I understand correctly, he is

opposed to certain people because of their race or religion. I have no place in my philosophy for such beliefs.

"I am not interested in the support of undemocratic movements or any movements that seek to put any part of our population under any prejudice because of their race or religion."

Willkie said in his New Year's greetings to the Jews of America:

"I know what Rosh Hashonah means to the people of your faith. I know that on that day in every land, the Jewish people gather in their synagogues, praying for peace and for the ultimate victory of right and justice. I ask the privilege of joining in your prayers and of pledging to you today that, insofar as it is within my capacity to keep so sacred a pledge, the United States of America will never harbor racial or religious intolerance and persecution. Upon this principle our country was founded and upon it depends the perpetuation of democracy."

With Wendell Willkie in the White House, the Jews of this country, in common with all their fellow-Americans will, in the Scriptural words quoted by George Washington in his historic letter to the Jews of Newport, sit, "Each under his own fig and vine-tree and there shall be none to make him afraid."

Vote against the un-American, un-Democratic violation of the no-third-term tradition.

Vote for WILLKIE

Abe Levi (of Elwood), Willkie's first employer; Roy Brown, Max Plessner, Julius Sagalowsky, Louis Markun, Leo Kaminsky, Mallah Mordoh, M. A. Rabb, Max Ruttenberg, Jessie Levy, Abe Barskin, Simon B. Fox, Theodore Dann, Isidore Feibleman

A. Z. A. To Observe National Sabbath Here With Beth El Services

Indianapolis chapter of the Aleph Zedek Aleph will observe A. Z. A. National Sabbath at 8 p. m. Friday, Nov. 7, at Beth El Congregation, with the services to be conducted by members.

Governor M. Clifford Townsend has issued a proclamation designating Friday, Nov. 8, as National A. Z. A. Sabbath Day in Indiana.

The opening prayer will be given by Stanley Herman, while Moses Levy will act as rabbi, leading the traditional services. After congregational singing, Henry Feldman will deliver the sermon for the evening, "Youth in the Synagogue."

President Paul Draizer will give a short talk on A. Z. A.

Following the services, refreshments will be served in the temple vestry rooms.

The public is invited to attend.

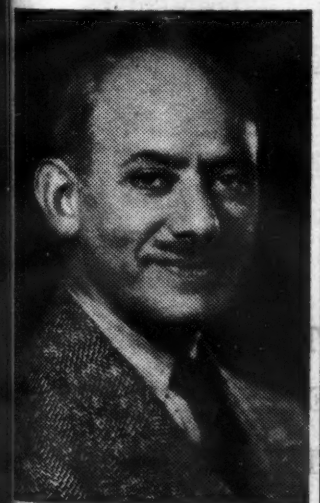
Joe Mitchell Installed As U. H. C. President

Joe Mitchell was installed as president of the United Hebrew Congregation Simchas Torah night, Oct. 24, in an impressive service. Other officers installed were Morris Stein, vice-president; Roger Popp, treasurer; Harry Gross, chairman of the board, and representative to the Board of Jewish Education. The Board of Directors installed consisted of H. Gross, Abe Draizer, Al Frank, B. Popp, M. Gerenstein, H.

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Syria Imposes Vichy Restrictions On Jews

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

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Golden, Joe Levine, J. Weisman, H. Stein, H. Silverman, Max Yach, Max Smulyan, J. Yaverowitz, I. Goldstein, Abe Cohen, Abe Patterson, L. Silverman, H. Peal, Abe Miller, Irving Marcus and L. Stein.

The ex-officers spoke briefly during the service of installation which was performed by Rabbi A. E. Miller.

After the services, the children of the newly elected president, Morris and Eddie Mitchell, served refreshments in their father's honor to the entire congregation of about 250 people.

David Hamburg Wins State Essay Contest At Sisterhood Meet

Special

EVANSVILLE — David Allan Hamburg, 15, Bosse High School junior and son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hamburg, Adams avenue, won the state essay contest sponsored by the Indiana State Federation of Temple Sisterhoods with his essay on "My Responsibility Towards Jewish Survival." He was presented the \$15 prize and a gold trophy by Mrs. Isaac Born, after reading his essay before the convention here.

The trophy was donated by Mrs. Mildred Markun, Indianapolis, president.

Dr. Robert Kopelourtz, Sycamore street, attended the dental convention in St. Louis.

Seventeen Jewish immigrants from Lithuania, who came via Soviet Russia and Turkey, and 73 Yemenite Jews, who traveled through Iraq and Syria, arrived in Palestine last week.

Maurice Falk of Pittsburgh, donor of the Maurice and Laura Falk Foundation, stated this week that there was no truth in the allegation made by the magazine Friday that Ernest T. Weir, the steel manufacturer, was anti-Semitic. Falk said he had been a lifelong intimate associate of Weir and that Weir had on more than one occasion joined in vigorous condemnation of anti-Semitic activities.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cohen, 5903 Guilford, have as their guest Miss Rosalie Cohen of New York City.

Gurion Asks Jewry To Send 100,000 Men

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

NEW YORK—David Ben Gurion, chairman of the Jerusalem executive committee of the Jewish Agency for Palestine, has proposed that 100,000 young and strong American Jews be sent to Palestine "as soon as possible" to aid the Jewish homeland in this critical hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Block Jr., accompanied by Mr. Block's sister, Mrs. Herbert Oppenheimer, of San Antonio, Texas, are in New York.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Jewish Post solicits letters from its readers. All letters, however, must be signed, otherwise they will not be considered.

The Presidential Campaign and the Jewish Question

To the editor:

We have never mixed religion with politics and are not seeking to do so now. In fact, the desire to keep the two entirely apart has prompted the advertisement sponsored by us and others in this issue of your paper.

Unfortunately a two-sided "whispering campaign" has been in progress. On one hand, we are told "there is a solid Jewish vote, all for Roosevelt" and that "the Jews have sold out to Roosevelt." On the other, we hear that "Willkie is of German stock and definitely pro-Nazi." Now, one of the most prominent Jewish leaders in America broadcasts the foolish and fallacious story in the secular press that "Jews are being coerced to vote for Willkie," a statement preposterous on its face. None of these stories is true.

It is true that the President has been friendly to the Jewish people and to Jews individually. Some think too much so for our own good, although we do not concur in this view. Roosevelt's record on the Jewish question is well known. Mr. Willkie has not been so long in the public eye and his attitude is not so well known.

Therefore, in the interest of fair play, to help dispel the story that there is a "solid Jewish vote," to make known Willkie's deed and creed in matters affecting the Jew, we have deemed it only just and proper to refer to the record and remind those who may have forgotten of his public utterances on the Jewish problem and the rights of minority groups.

The Republican candidate for President lived in Akron, Ohio, during the heyday of the Ku Klux Klan. The president of the synagogue there says: "He did a fine job of fighting this outfit. It was mainly through his efforts that the Klan members of the school board were defeated."

Mr. Willkie, long prior to his nomination, was and still is a member of the American Hebrew Permanent Commission for Better Understanding Between Jews and Christians. Interviewed by the edi-

tor of that paper as to his attitude on the problems of minority groups, Mr. Willkie made the following statement:

"I will uphold and defend minority rights as well as religious liberties in America, because our country was founded upon these principles and the perpetuation of democracy depends upon them."

In an interview in "The Day," New York Jewish daily, Mr. Willkie said:

"I consider anti-Semitism in America as a possible criminal movement and every anti-Semite as a possible traitor to America—THAT America which is so beloved and so dear to me, that America which has always symbolized liberty, equality and brotherly love among its inhabitants."

"If anti-Semitism should spread its roots in the United States as it has done in most of the countries of Europe then it would definitely be a calamity for the United States. It would mean that the main foundations on which our country has been built are beginning to shake. There might even be fear that the principles for which our forefathers fought and bled are in actual danger."

"I have spoken on the radio and clearly asserted my position against race hatred, bigotry and Hitlerism. I did this long before I even thought of being a Presidential candidate. I did it solely because I wanted to express my protest against Hitlerism and against all fascistic persecution methods."

"We in America must all stand shoulder to shoulder for tolerance and religious liberty. We must all of us work for the interest of our country. We must think only of what is important for the welfare of the United States."

"Those who are trying to bring to our shores from Hitler Germany, or from similar countries, their race hatred, their hate of liberty and democracy—such people are not interested in the welfare of the United States, but

are serving the dictates of other countries."

Many prominent Jews throughout the country have publicly espoused the candidacy of Wendell Willkie. Surely no one would say that men of their standing have been coerced into such advocacy.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver of Cleveland, joint chairman of the United Jewish Appeal and vice president of the Zionist Organization of America, has said:

"The 'no-third' term tradition has been vindicated by a century and a half of American experience, and it is particularly important in these days, when the indispensable-one-man rule is exalted in so many parts of the world at the expense of the democratic faith in laws and institutions rather than in persons, that it should not be repudiated."

Other leaders who have declared for Willkie include Judge Joseph M. Proskauer of New York, Benjamin Bittenweiser, president of New York Federation of Jewish Charities; William Weiss, president of Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations; Roger W. Strauss, co-chairman National Conference of Jews and Christians; Lewis L. Strauss, president Temple Emanuel of New York and president of Jewish Agricultural Society; Bernard Flexner, president Palestine Economic Corporation; William J. Shroder of Cincinnati, president National Council of Jewish Federations and Welfare Funds; Rabbi Michael Aaronsohn, former national chaplain Disabled War Veterans; Frank L. Sulzer, president Jewish Charities of Chicago; Albert Hurwitz, president of New England Region of American Jewish Congress, and many others. Men like these are coercing no one and cannot be coerced.

Like ourselves, they are aiding

in correcting the erroneous impression that the Jews can be regimented in a body and delivered into the Democratic camp. They emphasize the truth that we speak and vote as Americans, not as Jews, and that in this campaign there is no reason for doing otherwise.

Although it will be otherwise construed, this is not intended as a partisan appeal. It is true, that it is intended to show to the Jews of Indiana that we should not be regarded as "birds of a feather that flock together." Those who vote Democratic for Jewish reasons are injecting race or religion into politics and doing something which, in our opinion, is undemocratic and unAmerican.

With either candidate for President in the White House, there will be a President who will be fair and friendly to the Jewish people and to all other minority groups. So let us put an end to the fiction of the necessity for a one-party Jewish vote. We vote as Americans, not as Jews.

We know of no better way to

conclude this contribution than by quoting the final paragraph of Wendell Willkie's New Year's greeting to the Jews of America:

"God grant that the Hebrew New Year may bring to Israel throughout the world the same peace and protection that the Jews of our democracy have always enjoyed and shall continue to enjoy in the United States of America."

MAX M. PLESSER.

LEO KAMINSKY.

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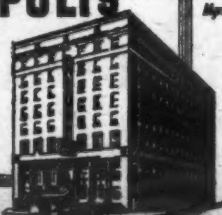
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BLOOMINGTON.—Fra Manuel Frank Rothberg last week was elected to Beta Gamma Sigma, the highest business school honorary fraternity and equivalent of Phi Beta Kappa.

The Chapter had as its guest over the week-end, Julie Toff of Ohio State University, and who is intramural table tennis champion at that school.

The fraternity wishes to extend its thanks to its many friends throughout the State who sent congratulations throughout the week for the winning of the campus fraternity scholarship cup.

SIGMA DELTA TAU

By Evelyn Slung

BLOOMINGTON.—An informal tea was held last Sunday afternoon at the chapter house in honor of Miss Joan Kaufmann of Minneapolis, Upsilon's newly appointed regional adviser. Miss Kaufmann spent several days with us here in Bloomington. The guests included Mrs. Leonard Solomon, chapter adviser; Mrs. Arthur Cassel, Mrs. M. Frank, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Maschke and Miss Patsy Jackson, all of Indianapolis; Rabbi and Mrs. Martin Perley and Mrs. Louis Becovitz, sorority patronesses, all of Bloomington.

Sigma Delta Tau's first pledge dance will be held Saturday night, Nov. 16, at the chapter house. Jane Spiegel, pledge president, has appointed the following committees: Ruth Marks, general dance chairman; Lillie Jean Yoffe, Loretta Diness, Franny Friedland, Ann Levinson and Betty Beitman. Refreshments: Florence Miller, chairman; Juliette Abrams and Jacquelyn Joseph.

Other guests last week-end included Mr. and Mrs. H. Gernstein of Newcastle, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Maierman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Ettinger and son Larry, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Rappaport and family and Mrs. Max Sacks and son Jerome, all of Indianapolis, and Mrs. Harry Marks and Alvin Switzer of Louisville.

Betty Helman, Gerri Levine, Jane Spiegel, Bernadine Dee and Betty Savesky went to Evanston, Ill., last week-end to attend the Indiana-Northwestern football game. While there they were guests of Sigma chapter of Sigma Delta Tau.

HILLEL

By N. William Weinstein

BLOOMINGTON.—Sunday evening, Nov. 3, Professor Hollingshead of the sociology department will speak at the Foundation on "Trend of Events" in the first of the series of four lectures to be given by outstanding professors in the university.

A new feature of the Friday evening "fireside" services is the singing of Melvin Unger who acts as cantor.

PHI BETA DELTA

BLOOMINGTON.—Climaxing a full week-end of activity, the eleventh annual pledge dance of Alpha Theta, Phi Beta Delta, will be held Saturday night. Guests of honor at the dance will be the 23 pledges of Alpha Theta and the five new members, who will be formally in-

itiated into the fraternity Friday night.

In connection with the dance, a dinner will be given Sunday for the members, pledges, guests and dates.

The five former pledges who were initiated into the fraternity Friday are Ray Beller, Harold Coleman, Milt Fox, Sid Gerstenhaber and Zeke Shapiro.

Alpha Theta announces the pledging of Max Stein of Indianapolis, a senior in the School of Business.

Guests of the chapter house over last week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Rappaport and family, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rabin, Mr. and Mrs. H. Snyder, Miss Ethel Schneider, Miss Reva Schneider, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Seligman, Mrs. Edith Werner, Mr. and Mrs. Sol Megeff and daughter Frances, and Miss Mimi Bernstein.

MARION

LOUISE STIEFLER
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Marion delegates to the annual Sisterhood convention held in Evansville this year were Mrs. Joseph Stiefler, president of the Marion Sisterhood; Mrs. Joe Kupp, vice president and state treasurer, and Mrs. I. H. Stoller.

Rabbi Bernard M. Dorfman of Lima, Ohio, will conduct Friday night services monthly for the Sinai Temple congregation. The Succoth service was his first service conducted for the Marion group.

Attending the Indiana-Kentucky State Association convention of the B'nai B'rith in Terre Haute were Reuben H. Berman, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fleck, Henry Fleck, Adolph Abel, Harry Lasky, Mrs. Saul Hutner, Mr. and Mrs. Gil Roskin, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Berman and Joseph and I. H. Stoller.

A Simchas Torah dinner was given at the Sinai Temple by the Sisterhood on Thursday evening,

Oct. 24. After the dinner, the usual Simchas Torah service was held.

Louise Stiefler was recently appointed editor in chief of the Marion High School paper, "The Survey." She attended the Indiana High School press convention Oct. 24 and 25 at Franklin College, Franklin.

DR. JACOB MANN DIES

CINCINNATI, O.—Dr. Jacob Mann died here Wednesday. He was professor at Hebrew Union College since 1922.

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The Speakers' Institute sponsored by the National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods at Chicago Friday, Nov. 1, will be attended by Mrs. Sidney Gold, Mrs. Irving J. Bransilver, Mrs. Isidore Bronstein and Mrs. Chester Lichtenberg.

Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Kahn motored to Chicago last week for a few days' stay.

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Bess Epstein, Gus Domont To Wed Nov. 17

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Epstein announce the approaching marriage of their daughter Bess to Gus Domont, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Domont. The wedding will take place Sunday, Nov. 17, at the Indianapolis Athletic Club.

BAR MITZVAH

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Weinstein announce the bar mitzvah of their son Myron Hirsch at 9 a. m. Saturday, Nov. 9, at Beth El Temple.

Friday morning, Oct. 25, after the services, Mr. and Mrs. Mayer Weiss, brother-in-law and sister of Joe Mitchell, newly elected president of the United Hebrew Congregation, served a special Simchas Torah dinner in honor of Mr. Mitchell.

Rabbi A. E. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Meyer Mitchell and family are driving to Toledo, O., for the week-end, where Rabbi Miller will assist in bar mitzvah services for Kolman Katz, a grandson of Mr. Meyer Mitchell.

Julian Schwab and son Robert are driving to Columbus, Ohio, to see the Indiana-Ohio State football game.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Simon, 3753 North Meridian, spent last week-end in Columbus, Ohio, visiting their daughter Annette, who is attending Ohio State University and recently has been pledged to the S. D. T. Sorority.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Maschke and children of 5228 North Pennsylvania are spending this week-end with friends in Columbus, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Carroll Kahn of 5224 North Pennsylvania spent a few days in Louisville, Ky., this week.

Mrs. Etta Fine and Miss Clara Zimmerman of Toledo, Ohio, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Shane over the past week-end.

Mrs. Ralph Bamhberger was in Cincinnati last week.

Mrs. Hays Block and Mrs. Albert Rosenthal have returned from a trip to New York. Mrs. Rosenthal's daughter, Mrs. Jack Ottimer of Hollywood, Fla., visited with them while they were East. En route to New York, Mrs. Block and Mrs. Rosenthal stopped off in Cincinnati to be with relatives.

John Traugott has been pledged by Sigma Delta Chi fraternity (Journalistic Honorary Society) at Purdue University.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruby F. Glick, 3560 Salem street, celebrated their thirtieth wedding anniversary on October 19, with a family dinner at Hollywood Inn. Present from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Glick's son, Eugene, a sophomore at Indiana University, Mrs. Glick's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Saul Allman of Long Beach, Calif., with their son Lester Allman and wife of Columbus, Ohio.

Indianapolis Date Clearance Bureau

Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 2 and 3
Mid-Eastern Convention—Council of Jewish Juniors.

Monday, Nov. 4
2:00 p. m.—National Council of Jewish Women Meeting—Kirshbaum.

Tuesday, Nov. 5
10:30 a. m.—Rabbi Goldblatt Book Review—I. H. C. Temple.
8:30 p. m.—Symphonic Hour—Kirshbaum.

Wednesday, Nov. 6
Federation of Jewish Women's Clubs.
8:15 p. m.—Annual Meeting Jewish Welfare Fund and Jewish Federation—Kirshbaum.
Knesses Israel Card Party—Home of Mrs. George Cohen, 5903 Guilford

Thursday, Nov. 7
12:15 p. m.—Luncheon Meeting of Board of Beth-El Sisterhood—Beth-El Temple.

Sunday, Nov. 10
Beth-El Gold Band Dance—Plantation Club.

Monday, Nov. 11
2:00 p. m.—Temple Sisterhood Meeting—Temple, Tenth and Delaware Sts.

Tuesday, Nov. 12
Hadassah Board Meeting—Kirshbaum.
10:30 a. m.—Rabbi Goldblatt Book Review—I. H. C. Temple.
8:15 p. m.—Symphonic Hour—Kirshbaum.
Beth-El Sisterhood Card Parties.

Wednesday, Nov. 13
8:00 p. m.—Hebrew Ladies' Aid Society Meeting—Knesses Israel Synagogue.
Temple Brotherhood—First Friends Church, Temple Tenth and Delaware streets.

Saturday, Nov. 16
Annual conference of East Central States Region of Jewish Federations and Welfare Funds.

Sunday, Nov. 17
Annual Conference of East Central States Region of Jewish Federations and Welfare Funds.

Monday, Nov. 18
Gimeles Chesod Meeting.
8:00 p. m.—Ladies' Auxiliary, B'nai B'rith—Kirshbaum.

Tuesday, Nov. 19
10:30 a. m.—Rabbi Goldblatt Book Review—I. H. C. Temple.
8:30 p. m.—Symphonic Hour—Kirshbaum.

Wednesday, Nov. 20
2:00 p. m.—Hadassah Meeting—Kirshbaum.
8:00 p. m.—Kodimo Club Card Party—Indianapolis Power and Light Company.

Sunday, Nov. 24
8:15 p. m.—Rev. Walton Cole—Kirshbaum Forum—Kirshbaum.

Tuesday, Nov. 26
10:30 a. m.—Rabbi Goldblatt Book Review—I. H. C. Temple.
2:00 p. m.—Joseph and Anna Borinstein Home for the Aged Meeting—Kirshbaum.

Wednesday, Nov. 27
8:30 p. m.—Symphonic Hour—Kirshbaum.
9:30 a. m.—National Council of Jewish Women Board Meeting—Kirshbaum.

Monday, Dec. 2
2:00 p. m.—National Council Jewish Women Meeting—Kirshbaum.

2:00 p. m.—Gimeles Chesod Card Party—Block's.

Tuesday, Dec. 3
8:15 p. m.—Indianapolis Zionist Meeting—Kirshbaum.
8:30 p. m.—Symphonic Hour—Kirshbaum.

Wednesday, Dec. 4
12:30 p. m.—Hadassah Thrift Luncheon—Block's.
Federation of Jewish Women's Clubs.

Tuesday, Dec. 10
Hadassah Board Meeting.
8:30 p. m.—Symphonic Hour—Kirshbaum.

Wednesday, Dec. 11
8:00 p. m.—Hebrew Ladies' Aid Society Meeting—Knesses Israel Synagogue.

Monday, Dec. 16
Gimeles Chesod Meeting.

Wednesday, Dec. 18
8:00 p. m.—Joint Junior and Senior Hadassah Business and Professional Group Meeting—Kirshbaum.

Sunday, Jan. 5
8:15 p. m.—Rabbi Milton Steinberg—Kirshbaum Forum, Kirshbaum.

Sunday, Feb. 2
8:15 p. m.—John Mason Brown—Kirshbaum Forum—Kirshbaum.

Sunday, Feb. 16
8:15 p. m.—Stuart Chase—Kirshbaum Forum—Kirshbaum.

Sunday, March 23
8:15 p. m.—Erika Mann—Kirshbaum Forum—Kirshbaum.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rosenblatt, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Gordon, Mrs. Paul Karp and Gertrude Rosenblatt, Cleveland, O., motored here and were the guests of the Burnstein and Stillerman families over last week-end.

Mr. Morris Burnstein, Ruth and Herman and their house guests motored to Cincinnati Sunday to attend the wedding of Vera Graff and Neal Kauffman.

Among those who motored to visit with her brother, Norman Silberberg and wife, is in Cambridge, Mass., with her son, Gordon. The latter recently obtained his master's degree at Harvard.

Dr. Samuel J. Klor, obstetrics specialist, has opened offices in Hollywood, Calif.

Miss Jeanette Sacks has returned home after spending several months in California.

Aurora Man, Cincinnati Girl Are Married

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Apseloff of Cincinnati announce the marriage of their daughter Jean to Jacob B. Kabakoff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Kabakoff of Aurora, Ind., Sunday evening, Oct. 20, at the Elks Temple in the presence of the

Mrs. M. A. Isaacs, who makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. Isaac Marks, 4339 N. Illinois St., was 71 years "young" last Sunday, October 27. She was the recipient of congratulations, gifts and cards from her family and her many friends.

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AL SEGAL *Speaks on* Being Tolerant

A NOTE from Mrs. Elma Levinger of Columbus, Ohio, tells me that we who are persecuted should be quick to protest against persecution of other people.

She has in mind that matter of Jehovah's Witnesses who in the recent months, in various parts of the country, have suffered a persecution that reminds us of what the Mormons had to take long ago.

In particular Mrs. Levinger refers to an incident at Milford, a village near Cincinnati, where the two children of one of Jehovah's Witnesses were suspended from school because they wouldn't salute the flag. This they refused to do in accordance with their religious scruples. (They believe to the letter the first commandment which tells them that the flag is one of the images that are not to be worshipped.)

But this was not all: The father of these children who was employed in a movie theater lost his job. The pressure of bigoted public opinion compelled the owner of the theater to dismiss him.

The persecution continues; Jehovah's children have been barred from schools in neighboring villages. They applied for admission, but no! they were not wanted. For the sake of the flag they are being denied the democratic right of education.

Mrs. Levinger thinks Jews should be among the first to come to the aid of those persecuted. But I think I hear contradictory voices: No! Let's mind our own business. We have troubles of our own and why should we take up any more? We are unpopular enough on our own account. Why should we take upon ourselves also the unpopularity of Jehovah's Witnesses?

But I don't think we can separate ourselves from the persecution of Jehovah's Witnesses merely by not noticing it. Bigotry doesn't specialize. This is to say, bigotry never is satisfied by one job of oppression. It will not consider its work finished if and when it has persecuted all of Jehovah's Witnesses out of existence. It is always hunting for new satisfactions for its sadism. After it is through with Jehovah's Witnesses it may take up, let us say, Catholics or fasten new persecutions on Jews.

Jehovah's Witnesses are the popular victims at the moment because their refusal to salute the flag provides bigotry with an excuse of patriotism.

SO BIGOTRY must be hit even when it hurts other people than ourselves. We must stand courageously against it whether it is at the moment persecuting Jehovah's Witnesses or Catholic or Presbyterians or Negroes.

Not that Jehovah's Witnesses are themselves the most lovable of people, easy to fight for. They are, in fact, themselves a group given to a kind of bigotry. Yet by being shown the way of tolerance and decent respect one may persuade them to forsake their own obnoxiously intolerant manners.

The bigotry of Jehovah's Witnesses is of a kind that hurts other people's feelings. They go from house to house with a portable phonograph on

which they play a record that gives out an abusive speech against the Catholic Church. Many a Catholic has been grievously hurt to listen to this.

It is as if an anti-Semite were to come to a Jewish home to play a phonograph record of a Coughlin speech. This would not only be vulgarly discourteous but gross violence to the decent respect that is due one's neighbors.

Yes, Jehovah's Witnesses make themselves most disagreeable people at times.

I don't hold it against them that they are eager to convert Jews. No one may dispute their right to try to bring other people over to their way of thinking.

Despite that it's so hard to love them one must regard the persecution that has been inflicted upon them all over the country as an alarming symptom. Most of it comes out of their refusal to salute the flag, in accordance with their religious principles or scruples.

I SHOULD guess that Jehovah's Witnesses do not suffer as much from this persecution as the flag itself does; they are an intensely religious group that probably feels the exquisite joys of martyrdom.

Such a persecution is an indecent affront to the meaning of the flag which intelligent people have regarded as the palladium of American rights. To conscientious Americans it seems that there is something of Hitler already here when for a religious opinion—however misguided—people are being persecuted by economic and social discriminations and by physical assault even.

What is being done here to Jehovah's Witnesses would be done in Germany to some unimaginable German who refused to hail Hitler with the approved gesture as he passed by. Certainly he would be thrown out of his job. His children would be made to share his ignominy. Of course, he would also go to a concentration camp to which, thank goodness, we haven't come in America and, please God, we never will.

It is rather frightening to see some of the Hitler processes in operation here even while we are spending billions to defend ourselves against Hitler. What make it especially alarming is the fact that among the participants in the persecution are school teachers who in baccalaureate orations are called the keepers of democracy. They are participants in this persecution since they do not resist the pressure of bigotry when it demands the punishment of school children who are faithful to the religious teachings their fathers gave them. Instead, the teachers go with the mob.

But Jehovah's Witnesses should themselves mend their ways. Certainly Jehovah cannot be pleased to see his witnesses testifying against the people of another church and grievously hurting them. I imagine that the just Jehovah may well ask, "Can these be my true witnesses?"

I suggest that Jehovah's Witnesses set aside a day of atonement on which to crack up all their pain-giving records and smash up their phonographs. Then they will become authentic witnesses for Jehovah.

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Following a supper at the temple Sunday night, Barzillai Lodge Auxiliary 289 was instituted and the newly-elected officers for 1941 were installed. Mrs. Lydia Woldman of Cleveland, president of District Grand Lodge 2, officiated. Rabbi Meyer Simon introduced the district president and Mrs. Louis Nathan of Attica presented the officers for installation. The officers were: President, Mrs. Henrietta; vice president, Mrs. Rose; secretary, Mrs. Sylvia Newmark, and treasurer, Mrs. Fan Kaplan.

Rabbi Milton Greenwald, Washington Avenue Temple, has announced a series of ten lectures, every third Friday, instead of a regular sermon. The topics will be contemporary issues, followed

by an open forum in the Temple House following services. The women of the Sisterhood will serve light refreshments. The first lecture will be held Friday, Nov. 1, and will be on "Duties of the President of the United States."

First in a series of monthly programs to be given this season by the Organists' and Choir Directors Guild of Evansville was presented at 8 p. m. Wednesday in Washington Avenue Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Weil, Weinback Ave., have as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Peres of Chicago, parents of Mrs. Weil.

Mrs. Julian Weil entertained twenty-five little guests at Clearcrest Country Club Saturday afternoon in honor of her daughter, Jane, who celebrated her seventh birthday. It was a masquerade party and the favors and table decorations were carried out in Halloween style.

Mrs. Hubert DeJong entertained at luncheon at Clearcrest Country

Club Wednesday in honor of her mother, Mrs. Charles Strauss of Chicago.

The Mildred Markun trophy, won by David Allen Hamburg of Evansville for his essay on "My Responsibility Towards Jewish Survival," is the property of Washington Avenue Temple Sisterhood for one year, and is on display in the library.

A very lovely luncheon was given Friday at Clearcrest Country Club by Mesdames Max DeJong, Isidore Kahn and Max Mayer in honor of Mrs. J. Wallens and Mrs. Hersheimer, Appleton, Wis.; Mrs. Stella Nordlinger, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Charles Strauss and Mrs. Silas Libbey of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Weil, Weinback Ave., spent the week-end in St. Louis, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Joseph, Hotel McCurdy, spent the week-end in Louisville, Ky., visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lamb.



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HEBREW CALENDAR

First Day of Chanukah...Dec. 25
Fast of Tebeth.....Jan. 9
Fast of Esther.....March 12

The editor's chair:

Have you ever stopped and noticed St. Joan of Arc's Church at Forty-second street and Central avenue? When I first saw the edifice my breath was almost taken away. It seemed to me to be the most exquisite example of Italian architecture I had ever seen. The fragile campanile, the delicate coloring of the stone contrasting against the light green of the roof, and the simplicity of design combined to make a real esthetic experience for me.

Many times on my trips to the Northside I just stop the car and gaze at the structure in real rapture. I like to notice the sun streaming through the columns of the front portico, or to see the picture with a background of dark overhanging clouds, or as on other occasions, under a hearty sun. But rarely do I go up as far north as Forty-second street without turning into Central so I can pass the church of my choice.

Several times I have entered the building. It seemed to me that I would like to know the father who was parish priest. But I never gathered up enough courage, because I was afraid he would think I was silly. I have seen many beautiful church structures, and up until my first glimpse of Joan of Arc's I have leaned toward Gothic Renaissance, but my taste has widened since. When I was a student at the University of North Carolina I had one professor—it was in history—who spent a good portion of the lecture hour, to the indifference of most of the students, including myself, tracing the history of church architecture. His name was Caldwell and I have him to thank for my interest and knowledge of architecture.

So Sunday on my way to the B'nai B'rith convention in Terre Haute, where Richard Gutstadt, director of the Anti-Defamation League, was principal speaker, I drove down Central to see "my" church. There, in large bundles leaning against the sacred stones of the building under the front portico was Father Coughlin's "Social Justice," waiting to be sold to the crowds who attend masses.

The Beth El Junior Congregation will resume its regular Saturday services at 9 a. m. this Saturday. All children are invited to attend. Regular Friday night services at Beth El will start Friday, Nov. 1.

Miss Sara Elizabeth Marks is enjoying a piano scholarship at the Chicago Musical College. Her instructor is Rudolph Gans.

Editorial Page

Where Are the Arabs?

WHERE ARE these Arab nationals?

For years now Jews have been hearing from the mouths of the righteous English that they could not give Jews the narrow strip of land that is Palestine because of the fear of an Arab nationalist uprising. The Arabs, too, the English declared, were beginning to feel the strength of their limbs, spread out all over the Near East, and were on the verge of awakening from their slumber as did the European nations several centuries ago to form a strong Arab state.

But now with England's back to the wall, with the Italians advancing deeper into Egypt, and with Hitler threatening to march into the Near East headed for the Suez canal, where are these brave Arabs? If the truth were told, and if England had ever wanted the truth told, these Arabs would be found exactly where they were when the English with the help of the Jewish legions con-

quered Palestine from the Turks. They are hiding in the hills, ready to swoop down at night to plunder and to strip the dead and wounded, whether that wounded or that dead be on either side.

All reports of the fighting during the World War in Arabian territory told of the unspeakable cowardice of the Arabs when faced with a foe. And even now, where are these Arabs for whose destiny England pretended such a sincere interest?

England knows where they are. They are in the same place as England's pretended interest in them—non-existent as far as realities are concerned until a more propitious moment when they can be brought once again into the open for booty for themselves or for the British.

Think what a bulwark England could have had to guard the Eastern flank of her Suez canal had she not been faithful to the Jews and to herself.

Three Welcomes

THE POST greets Rabbi Frederic A. Doppelt on his installation as spiritual leader of Temple Achduth Vesholom in Fort Wayne, welcomes back to Indianapolis George W. Rabinoff, former director of the Jewish Federation here, and extends best wishes for a successful convention to the Council of Jewish Juniors' Mid-Eastern meeting here this week-end.

Rabbi Doppelt has before him what it is hoped will be a long period of successful service to the Jewish community of Fort Wayne and of Indiana. That he has already endeared himself to his congregation and to the community at large is a splendid augury.

George Rabinoff left Indianapolis in 1928, after a stay here of seven years. That he went on to reach one of the highest rungs in the Jewish field

in his profession—associate director of the Council of Jewish Federations and Welfare Funds—is testimony to his ability. His many friends in Indianapolis and Indiana are happy to learn that he has been chosen as principal speaker for the annual meeting of The Jewish Federation and The Jewish Welfare Fund next Wednesday in Kirshbaum Center.

The program for the Mid-Eastern convention here this week-end has been extensively advertised elsewhere, and probably less than most conventions, needs publicity. Young people these days are eager to learn and eager to dance, and both of these needs will be well taken care of during the two days. Some three hundred young Jewish girls from Indiana and surrounding States will be guests of our Jewish community.

Current Comment

Morris C. Troper Says Many Will Not Get Assistance Because Funds Inadequate—The chief obstacle to bringing effective assistance to Jewish refugees and war victims is the lack of adequate funds. We have available perhaps a third of the minimum needed for the remaining two and a half months of the year. With these sums, which can be spent immediately in full conformity with the regulations of the United States Treasury Department, we cannot possibly meet all of the vast needs of European Jewry, but we shall continue our rescue work to the very limit of our resources.

I am going to Europe with full knowledge of the frightful conditions existing there, and with the equally discouraging knowledge that we shall not be able to feed all the hungry or provide care for all the sick. But as long as any means remain to us, we shall continue to the best of our abilities to do all we can for the innocent men, women and children who are being decimated by war.

There was a time when, as everywhere, there were two kinds of Jews in Europe—those who could help and those who had to be helped. This time is past. No matter what their former economic status may have been, the Jewish men, women and children of Europe are now all in a single class of impoverishment and despair. They have nothing to look forward to except starvation, disease and ultimate extermination unless some form of rescue is brought to them, and brought to them quickly. One, two or three years from now may be too late.

Gen. Hugh Johnson Criticized By The Jewish Press, of Omaha, Neb., for Saying Jews Want War With Hitler.—Hugh Johnson doesn't like "surveys," such as the Gallup Poll. On the other hand, there are a lot of reasons why many persons dislike columns and columnists and we think Hugh Johnson the principal reason. It has always been our contention that a daily column, even when written by an angel, is a tax on the discretion of the columnist. General Johnson's column has carried its vicious tone to such an extreme it has become a menace.

Posing as a great leader of enlightened opinion, Johnson occasionally permits insight into a character of dark reaction. His column of October 17 was devoted to another of his flagrant misrepres-

entations, to which he does not hesitate to stoop, in order to drive his point home.

In an unnecessarily violent attack on the New Deal—a political epoch which raised the General from deserved oblivion into prominence—he claims its strength among the Jews lies in the fact that the Jews are anxious to plunge this country into a war against Hitler.

If he were a Jew, General Johnson claims, he would feel this way. Perhaps if Hugh Johnson were a Jew, he would want to war on Hitler, but the majority of Jews are not anxious to plunge this or any other country into war. Nazi propaganda has utilized the argument that Jews are war-mongers to justify their own misdeeds and to take the blame from their shoulders and put it on their enemies.

General Johnson's contentions are nullified by several facts. The Jews are not so wholeheartedly on the side of democrats. Considering that President Roosevelt has been such an out-spoken foe of intolerance, it is strange that the Jews have not lined up with him 100 per cent. But the fact remains the Jews follow the political tradition of the region in which they live and vote according to their personal and class prejudices—in much the same manner as the general population. Perhaps they distinguish themselves in that they are not quite so vicious or unwholesomely bitter against the New Deal, as General Johnson has been.

The Jews are no more anxious for this country to enter the war than is the rest of the population. They are willing to abide by the decisions of the government and if necessary to co-operate in case of an emergency, but they should be the last to plunge the country into conflict. No people's suffering has been as intensified by the European conflict as that of the Jews. They have lost their liberties and have been reduced to the status of sub-humans.

General Johnson can express his repugnance of such a trick without raking up all the charges against the Jews, particularly since the pamphlet issued was not intended for the Jews but for the Negro voters. If Hugh Johnson is forced to eat his column, as he has threatened to do in case President Roosevelt is re-elected, we can assure him a good case of indigestion. We get sick merely from reading the trash.

Freedom of the Press

(Continued from Page 4)

Beth-El Gold Band Sunday night, Nov. 10, at the Plantation Club. From all present indications, this affair promises to be the highlight of the social season for the Jewish community.

A novelty all-male chorus will be offered together with a style show. Both of these numbers were presented at our regular meetings and proved so popular that it was decided to include them in our Plantation affair.

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At the Temple Israel Sisterhood regular monthly meeting Monday, preceded by luncheon, the speaker of the afternoon was Mrs. Paul R. Headdy, former private secretary to Paul V. McNutt. Mrs. Headdy told of her interesting experiences while acting as secretary, and exhibited trophies which she had brought with her from the Philippine Islands and from China.

Following the regular order of business, reports of the recent state conference in Evansville were given. Terre Haute carried off the office of second vice president of the conference in the person of Mrs. Harry N. Levin. Mrs. Levin and Mrs. Elias Berkowitz reported on the conference.

Announcement was made of the joint "peace" meeting Monday, Nov. 4, of the Sisterhood and the Council of Jewish Women at which Dr. Hazel Tesh Pfennig of the Indiana State Teachers College will be the speaker.

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Announcement is made of the marriage of Mrs. Marguerite Weinberger to Samuel Pearlman, both of South Bend. Mrs. Pearlman was the widow of the late Harry Weinberger. The ceremony took place in the study of Temple Beth El Saturday, Oct. 26.

The Pioneer Women had their annual banquet and card party at the Hebrew Institute Sunday, Oct. 27.

3,725 Jews Enter Palestine In Period

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency
LONDON—Colonial Undersecretary George Hall announced in Commons that 5,265 certificates for Jewish immigrants to Palestine were issued between April and September. He said 1,725 Jews entered Palestine during that period.

The first session in "effective speech," a newly introduced course in public speaking, will be held at 8:15 p. m. Thursday, Nov. 1, at Kirshbaum Center with Leo Kaminisky in charge.